

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR  
THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF ALABAMA  
NORTHERN DIVISION

JOYCE MARIE POWE, )  
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Plaintiff,           )  
v.                     )                   CASE NO. 2:05-cv-1140-F  
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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT )  
OF DEFENSE,           )  
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Defendant            )

**O R D E R**

It is hereby ORDERED that, pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 636(b)(1), this case is referred to Magistrate Judge Vanzetta Penn McPherson for all pretrial proceedings and entry of any orders or recommendations as may be appropriate.

DONE this 13th day of December, 2005.

/s/ Mark E. Fuller  
CHIEF UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE